



PUBLIC DISCLOSURE COMMISSION

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Session Freeze Starts on December 15, 2001

Olympia-Beginning at 12:01 a.m. on Saturday, December 15, 2001, no person holding state elected office – nor anyone employed by or acting on behalf of such an official – is permitted to solicit or accept contributions to a candidate or public office fund or to retire a campaign debt. The freeze period runs through the 30th day after adjournment of the regular legislative session, and is in effect during any special session.

The session freeze law was part of Initiative 134, approved November 3, 1992 by over 70% of the electorate.

For more information on the session freeze, campaign finance, lobbyist reporting and the Public Disclosure Commission go to the PDC web site at www.pdcca.wa.gov .